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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Hyo-Sang Kim, et al.

Application No.: 09/944,283

Filed: August 30, 2001

For: OPTICAL FIBER CLADDING WITH
LOW POLARIZATION DEPENDENCE
AND AN ACOUSTO-OPTIC
TUNABLE FILTER WITH LOW
POLARIZATION DEPENDENT LOSS
ACHIEVED THROUGH THERMAL
ANNEALING

Date of Allowance: March 4, 2004

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312 AFTER ALLOWANCE

Sir:

Although the above-identified application has been allowed, applicants
respectfully request that the application be amended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.312 as
follows: